

Exhibit A

Notice of Commencement

Information to identify the case:	
Debtor Name United States Bankruptcy Court for the <u>Southern District of Texas</u> (State)	EIN Date case filed for chapter 11 <u>05 / 22 / 2023</u> MM/ DD/ YYYY
Lead Case Number: <u>23-90558</u>	

Official Form 309F1 (For Corporations or Partnerships)

Notice of Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Case

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For the debtor listed above, a case has been filed under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. An order for relief has been entered.

This notice has important information about the case for creditors and debtors, including information about the meeting of creditors and deadlines. Read both pages carefully.

The filing of the case imposed an automatic stay against most collection activities. This means that creditors generally may not take action to collect debts from the debtor or the debtor's property. For example, while the stay is in effect, creditors cannot sue, assert a deficiency, repossess property, or otherwise try to collect from the debtor. Creditors cannot demand repayment from the debtor by mail, phone, or otherwise. Creditors who violate the stay can be required to pay actual and punitive damages and attorney's fees.

Confirmation of a chapter 11 plan may result in a discharge of debt. A creditor who wants to have a particular debt excepted from discharge may be required to file a complaint in the bankruptcy clerk's office within the deadline specified in this notice. (See line 11 below for more information.)

To protect your rights, consult an attorney. All documents filed in the case may be inspected at the bankruptcy clerk's office at the address listed below or through PACER (Public Access to Court Electronic Records at <https://pacer.uscourts.gov>).

The staff of the bankruptcy clerk's office cannot give legal advice.

Do not file this notice with any proof of claim or other filing in the case.

1. Debtor's full name(s) (List of Jointly Administered Debtors)	SEE BELOW CHART		
Name of Debtors	Other Names Used by the Debtors in the last 8 years	EIN Number	Case Number
Paradox Resources, LLC	N/A	82-5017152	23-90558
Paradox Midstream, LLC	N/A	46-1582127	23-90559
Paradox Upstream, LLC	N/A	46-1590256	23-90560
Neuhaus Barrett Investments, LLC	N/A	83-2855529	23-90561
Capital Commercial Development, Inc.	N/A	74-2773124	23-90562
Four Corners Energy, LLC	N/A	36-4928159	23-90563
Four Corners Pipeline, LLC	N/A	85-0558748	23-90564
2. All other names used in the last 8 years	SEE ABOVE CHART		
3. Address	500 Dallas Street, Suite 1600 Houston, Texas 77002		

<p>4. Debtor's attorney Name and address</p>	<p>Okin Adams Bartlett Curry, LLP Matthew S. Okin David L. Curry, Jr. Ryan A. O'Connor 1113 Vine Street, Suite 240 Houston, Texas 77002 Tel: (713) 228-4100 Fax:(346) 247-7158 Email: mokin@okinadams.com Email: dcurry@okinadams.com Email: roconnor@okinadams.com</p>	<p>Debtors' Claims and Noticing Agent (for Court Documents and Case Information Inquiries): Donlin, Recano & Company, Inc. Re: Paradox Resources, LLC, et al. P.O. Box 199043 Blythebourne Station Brooklyn, New York 11219 Toll Free Tel: 1 (800) 844-5931 Fax: 1 (212) 481-1416 Email: prlinfo@drc.equiniti.com Case Website: https://www.donlinrecano.com/paradox</p>
<p>5. Bankruptcy clerk's office Documents in this case may be filed at this address. You may inspect all records filed in this case at this office or online at https://pacer.uscourts.gov.</p>	<p>United States Courthouse 515 Rusk Avenue Houston, Texas 77002</p>	<p>Hours: Monday to Friday – 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (Prevailing Central Time) Telephone: (713) 250-5500</p>
<p>6. Meeting of creditors The debtor's representative must attend the meeting to be questioned under oath. Creditors may attend, but are not required to do so.</p>	<p>Not yet scheduled.</p>	<p><u>Location:</u> United States Courthouse Office of the United States Trustee 515 Rusk Avenue, Suite 3401 Houston, Texas 77002</p>
<p>7. Proof of claim deadline</p>	<p><u>Deadline for filing proof of claim:</u> Not yet set. Notice of deadline, if any, will be filed on the Court's docket.</p>	<p>A proof of claim is a signed statement describing a creditor's claim. A proof of claim form may be obtained at www.uscourts.gov or any bankruptcy clerk's office. Your claim will be allowed in the amount scheduled unless: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● your claim is designated as <i>disputed</i>, <i>contingent</i>, or <i>unliquidated</i>; ● you file a proof of claim in a different amount; or ● you receive another notice. If your claim is not scheduled or if your claim is designated as <i>disputed</i>, <i>contingent</i>, or <i>unliquidated</i>, you must file a proof of claim or you might not be paid on your claim and you might be unable to vote on a plan. You may file a proof of claim even if your claim is scheduled. You may review the schedules at the bankruptcy clerk's office or online at https://pacer.uscourts.gov. Secured creditors retain rights in their collateral regardless of whether they file a proof of claim. Filing a proof of claim submits a creditor to the jurisdiction of the bankruptcy court, with consequences a lawyer can explain. For example, a secured creditor who files a proof of claim may surrender important nonmonetary rights, including the right to a jury trial.</p>

Debtor Paradox Resources, LLC, et al.
 Name

Case number (*if known*) 23-90558

8. Exception to discharge deadline The bankruptcy clerk's office must receive a complaint and any required filing fee by the following deadline.	If § 523(c) applies to your claim and you seek to have it excepted from discharge, you must start a judicial proceeding by filing a complaint by the deadline stated below. Deadline for filing the complaint: N/A _____
9. Creditors with a foreign address	If you are a creditor receiving notice mailed to a foreign address, you may file a motion asking the court to extend the deadlines in this notice. Consult an attorney familiar with United States bankruptcy law if you have any questions about your rights in this case.
10. Filing a Chapter 11 bankruptcy case	Chapter 11 allows debtors to reorganize or liquidate according to a plan. A plan is not effective unless the court confirms it. You may receive a copy of the plan and a disclosure statement telling you about the plan, and you may have the opportunity to vote on the plan. You will receive notice of the date of the confirmation hearing, and you may object to confirmation of the plan and attend the confirmation hearing. Unless a trustee is serving, the debtor will remain in possession of the property and may continue to operate its business.
11. Discharge of debts	Confirmation of a chapter 11 plan may result in a discharge of debts, which may include all or part of your debt. See 11 U.S.C. § 1141(d). A discharge means that creditors may never try to collect the debt from the debtor except as provided in the plan. If you want to have a particular debt owed to you excepted from the discharge and § 523(c) applies to your claim, you must start a judicial proceeding by filing a complaint and paying the filing fee in the bankruptcy clerk's office by the deadline.